

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, DC 20268-0001

Before Commissioners:

Ruth Y. Goldway, Chairman;
Mark Acton, Vice Chairman; and
Robert G. Taub

Competitive Product Prices
Priority Mail Contract 60 (MC2013-54)
Negotiated Service Agreement

Docket No. CP2013-70

NOTICE AND ORDER CONCERNING AMENDMENT TO
PRIORITY MAIL CONTRACT 60 NEGOTIATED SERVICE AGREEMENT

(Issued April 8, 2014)

I. INTRODUCTION

On April 4, 2014, the Postal Service filed notice that it has agreed to an amendment to the existing Priority Mail Contract 60 negotiated service agreement approved in this docket (Amendment).¹ In support of its Notice, the Postal Service includes a redacted copy of the Amendment and a certification of compliance with 39 U.S.C. 3633(a), as required by 39 CFR 3015.5.

The Postal Service also filed the unredacted Amendment and supporting financial information under seal. The Postal Service seeks to incorporate by reference

¹ Notice of United States Postal Service of Change in Prices Pursuant to Amendment to Priority Mail Contract 60, April 4, 2014 (Notice).

the Application for Non-Public Treatment originally filed in this docket for the protection of information that it has filed under seal. *Id.* at 1.

The Amendment alters the way prices are calculated and adjusted over the length of the contract.² The Amendment also contains other minor modifications to the original agreement such as providing Priority Flat Rate packaging and Regional Rate Boxes to the customer. *Id.*

The Postal Service intends for the Amendment to become effective one business day after the date that the Commission completes its review of the Notice. Notice at 1; Attachment A at 1. The Postal Service asserts that the Amendment will not impair the ability of the contract to comply with 39 U.S.C. 3633. Notice at 1.

II. NOTICE OF FILINGS

The Commission invites comments on whether the changes presented in the Postal Service's Notice are consistent with the policies of 39 U.S.C. 3632, 3633, or 3642, 39 CFR 3015.5, and 39 CFR part 3020, subpart B. Comments are due no later than April 15, 2014. The public portions of these filings can be accessed via the Commission's website (<http://www.prc.gov>).

The Commission appoints John P. Klingenberg to represent the interests of the general public (Public Representative) in this docket.

III. ORDERING PARAGRAPHS

It is ordered:

1. The Commission reopens Docket No. CP2013-70 for consideration of matters raised by the Postal Service's Notice.

² Compare *id.*, Attachment A at 1-2 (filed under seal) with Docket Nos. MC2013-54 and CP2013-70, Request of the United States Postal Service to Add Priority Mail Contract 60 to Competitive Product List and Notice of Filing (Under Seal) of Unredacted Governors' Decision, Contract, and Supporting Data, June 25, 2013, Attachment B at 1-3 (filed under seal).

2. Pursuant to 39 U.S.C. 505, the Commission appoints John P. Klingenberg to serve as an officer of the Commission (Public Representative) to represent the interests of the general public in this proceeding.
3. Comments are due no later than April 15, 2014.
4. The Secretary shall arrange for publication of this Order in the *Federal Register*.

By the Commission.

Shoshana M. Grove
Secretary